

ALEXANDRIA.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 14.

It is, although a laughable, yet a curious and suggestive thing, that the successful accomplishment of the undertaking of Sergeant Bates in carrying alone and unarmed the U.S. flag from one end of the South to the other, not only without molestation, but with every demonstration of respect and good feeling, has actually riled and nettled the Radicals considerably. They seem to consider the "feat" of the Sergeant as a very impertinent interference with, and counter-blast to, their dogma, of the "disloyal" and "rebellious" spirit of the South. If will never do to upset their theory! It is a copperhead piece of audacity to disprove their assertions! They would rather not have the "flag" carried at all, then see it borne along by a copperhead. Risum teneatis, amici?

It will be seen that nothwithstanding the continued opposition of the managers, a portion of the evidence relating to the conversations between Gen. Sherman and the President relative to the removal of Mr. Stanton has been admitted, either through the changed form in which the questions were propounded, or because the Senate had come to see the inequitable character of its rulings of Saturday. Certain it is that these rulings had made an unfavorable impression on the public mind.-But even in the form finally adopted, the testimony was only admitted finally by the narrow vote of 26 to 25.

The Governor of Pennsylvania, and the radical members of the Legislature of that State, have addressed a letter to Mr. Simon Cameron, of the U.S. Senate requesting him that "upon the contingent succession of Mr. Benjamin F. Wade to the Presidency of the United States, and on the reorganization of the Cabinet, to recommend to the President on behalf of Pennsylvania the transfer of Hon. Edwin M. Stanton from the Department of War to that of the Treasury. Sweet set! The public will see how arrangements are making for the distribution of the spoils, in advance.

A Mr. Henry Edgar, who claims to be one of the apostles designated by Auguste Comte to promulgate the principles of the "Church of Humanity," appears at the Music Hall, in New York, and announces a Scientific Religion,' which the great mathematician Comte was induced by the married lady whom he fell in love with, and whom he called his "sainted Clotilde," to graft upon the trunk of his system of "Positive Philosophy." We should not at all be surprised to see a congregation of the Church of | years' confinement in the penitentiary. the Scientific Religion speedly organized at the North.

Gen. Meade has followed up his recent order about what is called Kux-lux Klan in Georgia, by one "announcing that Sheriffs will not be permitted to resign till after the election, a faithful performance of their duties to be required of them meanwhile; and that deterring 'citizens' from voting, or controlling their votes by threats of discharge from employment, is an offence punishable by a military commission."

At a meeting last week of the president and directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, a resolution was passed authorizing the issuing of \$2,000,000 additional stock of the company. This Mr. Garrett stated was necessary to enable them to carry out the different enterprises about being undertaken, one of which is aiding in the completion of the Pittsburg and Connellsville road; also, the subscriptions to steam

Gen. Meade has disapproved of the arrest of Judge Pope, of the Circuit Court of Calhoun county, Ala., by a Lieutenant Johnson, who caused the arrest because Judge Pope had empannelled juries which were not composed of | Senator, asked a witness, a question. Mr. Butler negroes. The General in his order censures the lieutenant, and says that the reconstruction acts do not require that all juries should have colored men upon them.

At the municipal election in Hagerstown, Maryland, yesterday the Democratic candidate tor Mayor was elected by a majority of one hundred and fifty-six votes. Every candidate on the Democratic ticket for the Council was elected, the average majority being one hundred and seventy-one. This is a gain on last year's election of one hundred and twenty-one

The New Orleans Picayune suggests that the Democrats nominate Gen. Hancock for President, "the man who has proved the best friend the South has had since the war ended, and whose career as a soldier should gain for him every Northern vote which is not sworn away to Radicalism.

The Virginia Reconstruction Convention, it was expected, would adjourn to-day. Let us thank the Lord for all his mercies!

The Washington Chronicle asserts that there are in Washington, "two fashionable gambling houses, both within half a dozen squares of the use of "ladies." One, and perhaps the situated on Fourteenth street, while the other is in the first ward, but a few squares distant. At these places, at nearly all hours of the day, may be found richly dressed "ladies," connected with families whose standing is high in the community, earnestly engaged in faro." This follows upon the heel of the announcement in the newspapers, that in New York there are fashionable gambling saloons for "ladies."-Fashionable drinking saloons for "ladies," must follow, of course. These may be considered as among "Womens' Rights" in these days of the progress of civilization! Good much censured by gentlemen of all parties, ard, of Michigan. The President had gone further. He had told Gen. Sherman that The District Gunpowder Tea received tograph of the progress of civilization! Good who where present.]

Was given to a similar question from Mr. Howard, and of Michigan. The President had gone further. He had told Gen. Sherman that ap 14

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the Times."

In the case of Gen. Lorenzo Thomas against Mr. Stanton, for trepass, in having caused his arrest for an alleged violation of the civil Tenure of Office act, by accepting the appointment and attempting to exercise the duties of Secretary of War ad interim (the damages being laid at \$150,000,) Mr. A. G. Riddle has this Procrustean rule. entered his appearance for the defendant, and filed a plea of not guilty. Gen. Thomas' coun-

The 3d U. S. Cavalry, Major Elliot, left Fort Leavenworth on Friday for Fort Hayes, Kansas. A very general feeling prevails in Kansas that there will be serious Indian troubles in that State this summer, and the cavalry has been sent out in anticipation of these troubles. There is no reliance that the treaties will be observed by the Indians in good faith.

On the 7th ult., a very severe shock of earthquake was felt at Porto Cabello, raising a sea in the harbor so that nothing could be done in the way of loading or discharging vessels for five days. Several small vessels were capsized, but no damage of a serious nature occurred on

An Ottawa dispatch says that there is a lull in the proceedings of the Canadian authorities in the investigation as to the assassination of D'Arcy McGee. It is believed that the conspirators have unbosomed themselves to the authorities. (?)

A riot occurred at St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana, on Saturday. A Conservative barbecue was broken up by a body of armed Radical negroes, and one Democratic negro was shot and a number beaten.

Official advices received from Alaska state that an attack upon the Americans in Sitka is contemplated by the Indians and Russians, and that a massacre is imminent unless the troops are reinforced.

Western papers say that Governor Evans, of Colorado, assures the people of that Territory that, as soon as the Impeachment trial is over, Colorado will be admitted into the Union as a

Mr. James Guthrie was stricken with paralysis at Louisville, Kentucky, on Thursday last, and serious fears of the result are entertained by his family and friends.

Cornbosh, a colored member of the Mississippi Convention, was assaulted on Sunday night by a party af negroes, and the assailants have been arrested.

The U. S. counsul at San Juan, Porto Rico, says the cholera has disappeared at St. In South Carolina an election commenced to-

day, and continues to morrow and Thursday, for State officers. Gen. Grant, it is said, will shortly issue an

order increasing the present military force in

Our Western and Southern exchanges generally report much injury to the young fruit, &c, by the cold weather of last week.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

D. A. Underdown, the wrecker, landed at the Norfolk navy yard on Wednesday, a large portion of the ponderous machinery of the famous ram Merrimac, which he had succeeded in raising from the bottom of the Elizabeth river. The machinery weighed a number of tons.

Gov. Wells on Saturday commuted the sentence of Sarah Capos, negress, who attempted the coldest blooded murder on record in the vicinity of Norfolk, from death by hanging to ten

Capt. Calvin C. Morgan, brother of General John Morgan, reached Richmond a day or two since for the purpose of removing the remains of his gallant brother to his native State, Ken-

General Schofield has issued an order making the Convention certificates receivable at the Treasury after May 1st, and redeemable Janua-

ry 1st, 1869. The new Richmond City Council met yesterday, and received a communication from Gen. Schofield, desiring them to make recommendations to fill vacancies.

The Richmond Enquirer says that "an irrepressible conflict between the 'Custom-House' and 'Hunnicutt Hall' is about to burst upon us with the fierceness of a tropical storm.'

Lunsford L. Lewis has been appointed notary public for the counties of Culpeper and Rock-

C. M. Morton, a colored member of the Convention, has announced himself a candidate for Congress from the First District.

The reader will see in the account of the Impeachment proceedings, yesterday, published in another column, mention of a rude and rill, of Maine, and Morrill, of Vermont, who offensive intimation made by Mr. Butler in reference to Mr. Reverdy Johnson, because the latter had, in his undoubted right as a

"The witness was sent away and then one of the judges desired to put a question to satisfy his own mind. Of course, he was not acting as counsel for the President; that cannot be supposed.

Senator Johnson. rising. What does the honorable manager mean?

Mr. Butler. I mean precisely what I say, that it cannot be supposed that the Senator was acting for the President.

Senator Johnson. Mr. Chief Justice, if the honorable manager means to impute that in anything I have done in this trial I have been acting as counsel, or in the spirit of counsel, he does not know the man of whom he speaks. I am here to discharge a duty, and that duty I purpose to discharge. I know the law as well

as he does.

Mr. Butler. Again I repeat, so that my language may not be misunderstood, that it can not be supposed that he was acting as counsel for the President. Having put his question to satisfy his mind upon something which he wanted to know, how can it be that that opens the case so as to allow the President's counsel to go on to a new examination. How do we know that he is not acting as coun- Senate allowed this to pass without attempting sel for the President, and that there is not to protect its own dignity, about one half the some understanding between them, which I do not charge? How can the President's counsel know what satisfies the Senator's mind. He recalls a witness for the purpose of claimer was as sincere, evidently, as it was genthe treasury building, which are exclusively for satisfying his own mind. I agree that it is tlemanly and proper. common to recall witnesses for something over looked or forgotten; but I never have known best furnished and most largely frequented, is that where a member of the court wants to that the first talk with the President was very satisfy himself, by putting some question, that brief. At the second interview the President that opens up the case to the counsel on the seemed desirous of having the matter brought other side to put other questions. The court | before the Supreme Court. General Sherman is allowed to put questions, because a judge suggested that Stanton would contest possession may want to satisfy his mind on a particular with him; but the President said, "he would point, but having satisfied himself on that parmake no opposition." "Present the order, ticular point, there is an end of the matter, and he will retire. I know him better than and it does not open the case. I trust that I you do. He is cowardly." In answer to a have answered the honorable Senator from question from Mr. Henderson, whether the Maryland: that I make no imputation on him but am putting it right the other way.

Senator Johnson. I am satisfied. It is said that Mr. Butler's rude and coarscexamination of Gen. Thomas on Saturday, is The Impeachment.

The business of the trial opened yesterday with the consideration of the application to allow all the counsel on each side to speak. It was well understood that the counsel for the President desired no change of the rule; the proposition sprung from the ambition for display of the seven House managers-five of whom were doomed to inglorious silence under

Mr. Manager Williams, who has heretofore not said a word, save in whispered seintillations sel (Messrs. Merrick and Cox) have joined for the private ear of General Butler, now rose and made his maiden speech. Mr. Stevens next opened his mouth, and spoke. He wanted a chance to speak on his one article -- the 'olla podrida'' article-his special production and ewe lamb. The article had been objected to by less sagacious men in the House, and he now wanted opportunity to justify his pertinacity" in insisting upon it.

Now came various propositions. Mr. Sherman to give each side three additional hours; Mr. Boutwell pleading for the House managers in a body to have the closing of the debate; Mr. Frelinghuysen wishing to allow only one to do so; Mr. Sumner proposing to carry out Mr. Boutwell's idea; Mr. Stanbery begging not to have hour rules applied in such a case as impeachment of a President; Mr. Evarts asking nothing, but ready, if necessary, to put up four men against six on the other side; Mr. Conkling insinuating his finger into the pie; and lastly came a motion from Mr. Williams to lay the whole business on the table. This motion, if adopted, would act as an extinguisher upon the eloquence of Messrs. Williams, Stevens, Logan, and Wilson. Strange to say, it was adopted-yeas 38, nays 10.

In the calling of the roll, Mr. Sprague was stated to be absent, having been summoned to the bedside of a dying friend.

Gen. Sherman was the first witness, and the question was put to him, "whether, after the restoration of Mr. Stanton, he formed an opinion that the good of the service required another person to be at the head of the War Department, and did he express this opinion to the President.'

The object of this query was to elicit the peculiar relations of Mr. Stanton with the President, and to rebut the allegation of the managers, that the President had acted without advice from the highest quarters.

Mr. Stanbery spoke very ably in favor of the question. Mr. Butler, in reply, cited the opening passage of Cicero's speech upon Catiline, but prudently omitted any reference to the oration against Verres; and yet none will contest, we presume, the superior application of this latter argument to the debate. Gen. Butler also insinuated that General Sherman's opinion of Mr. Stanton grew out of a quarrel with Mr. Stanton, and a wish to "get rid of an enemy." Mr. Evarts spoke effectively in response, and was succeeded by Mr. Bingham, who called General Sherman an "outsider." The term was not felicitous. The Senate, however, were tender of Mr. Stanton's reputation. They voted down the question by 39 to 15. Among those willing to allow it were Messrs. Anthony, Fowler, Grimes, Ross,

Trumbull, and Van Winkle. The next question was prepared by Mr. Reverdy Johnson. It was: Did you at any time in these interviews, and before the removal of Mr. Stanton, advise the President to appoint some other person? This query also pressed on the managers' toes, and was objected to by Mr. Butler. It was ruled out—ayes 18, noes 32.— Messrs. Fessenden, Edmunds, and Henderson voted to allow this question. But a majority of the Senate were resolved, it possible, to keep from the country and the record the pregnant fact that in removing Mr. Stanton the President had carried out the carnest recommenda tion of the Licutenant General of the army .--So General Sherman was forced, for the time, war, and settled near Swift creek, on the Rich-

to stand aside. of the District, was next sworn. He produced of country, he opened a correspondence with the warrant and affidavit on which Gen. Thoma his friends at the North desiring to emigrate, wes arrested. The clerk had been waked up at and who are willing to trust to his judgment in two o'clock in the morning to affix the seal to the selection of farms. Such a man is of great the warrant. Mr. Butler asked if this was not done in "extreme cases of crime," and Mr. use to a neighborhood, and the probability is that in the course of the year a large number Stanbery asked the witness what became of this of farms will be disposed of under the auspices "extreme case." An interlocutory debate of of Mr. Wood. The farms already sold vary in some length here ensued. The object of the size much. Several of them contain consider President's counsel was to spread on the record | able bodies of native forest, while others have all the facts relative to the arrest of General an abundance of marl. One tract of 900 acres Thomas, and how he was discharged and set is situated on the turnpike to Richmond, about free by the Judge as soon as it was found that | eight miles from this city; several others, rangthe President and Gen. Thomas proposed to ing from 150 to 400 acres, on the Appomattox carry the matter up to the Supreme Court .- seven or eight miles above the city. The prices These facts are notorious, but to keep them off obtained are satisfactory to both buyer and the record was vital to the managers, and so seller." they fought a stout battle against the question. The Senate, however, allowed the evidence to come in by a vote of 34 to 17, much to General Butler's annoyance.

At this stage the proceedings became especially interesting. Mr. Reverdy Johnson put written question to General Sherman, (who was still in the chamber,) inquiring "if the President, in tendering to him the office of Secretary of War, stated to him at that time what was his purpose in so doing." This question was admitted by twenty-six yeas to twentytwo nays-Messrs. Cole, Frelinghuysen, Moron Saturday voted against Mr. Henderson's query, now voting to allow this question.

Gen. Sherman answered the question in the affirmative, and was about to detail the "purpose" of the President, when Mr. Butler again resisted the question. On the question whether Gen. Sherman should state the purpose of the President as disclosed to him, the ayes were twenty-six to twenty-five noes. Messrs. Morrill and Morrill went over to the nays; but Messrs. Cole, Henderson, Sherman, Frelinghuysen, and Sumner stood fast; and now Gen. Sherman's lips were unsealed as to a portion of his interviews with the President.

Gen. Sherman proceeding to answer, was again interrupted by Mr. Butler. The President had stated to him (Gen. Sherman) that the relations between Stanton and himself, and between Stanton and the rest of the Cabinet, were such that he could not attend to the interests of the service. He had the power to make an ad interim appointment, and would do so in the interests of the country and the army, and could not well, otherwise than by his appointment, test the matter before the courts. Here again a good deal of interlocutory de-

pate occurred, during which Gen. Butler coarsely insinuated that Mr. Reverdy Johnson was acting as counsel for the President. That gentleman rising at once and demanding his meaning, Mr. Butler extricated himself by one | S. is strong in money, however-which is the of his natural and customary resorts. The amount of his strength! members probably enjoying the daily exhibi-tions Mr. Butler makes. We must do Mr. Bingham the justice here to say that his dis-

Gen. Sherman then explained at more length. His testimony was very interesting. He stated President expressed any intention to remove Mr. Stanton from his office, General Sherman in 1863. replied, "that if by removal force was meant, the President said nothing that conveyed such an impression to his mind." A similar response was given to a similar question from Mr. How-

"there was no necessity to consider that ques-

Mr. Butler knew the importance of shutting the door of investigation, and that his case would not bear the light; but a majority of the Senate were conscious, upon reflection, that it would never do thus to let the matter go to the country.-Nat. Int.

Va. "Reconstruction" Convention. In the Convention, on Saturday, when the Usury Law were under discussion,

Hawxhurst opposed the abolition of the present usury laws. He said it would give the "shaving shops" in this and other Virginia cities the power to ruin every man who was compelled to borrow money. He thought no measure more disastrous than this could be introduced. It would transfer the title deeds of Virginia property to Philadelphia and New York.

The argument was continued by Mr. Snead, who also opposed the abolition of the present usury laws.

Pending Mr. Snead's speech, Bayne offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Mr. E. Gibson (delegate of Giles,) did declare that a fraud had been committed by the chairman (Mr. Allan, of Prince Edward) of a committee relative to printing and the

money thereto: Therefore, Resolved, That the said E. Gibson be and is hereby ordered to report to this Convention, in writing, by one o'clock to-day, all the evidence he has showing any fraud committed in the premises. Failing to comply with this order, he be tried by this Convention and he be expelled or receive such penalty as the Convention may inflict .- (Verbatim.)

When this resolution was offered Mr. Gibson asked leave to make an explanation. The Convention refused to allow him the pri-

vilege of so doing. He then said if the Convention received this resolution and refused to hear his explanation, and spread it on the journal, it was composed of a set of baser scoundrels than he had here-

tofore conceived. Knowing that he had to leave on Monday morning these words were taken down. White then offered the following:

Whereas, the gentleman from Giles, Mr. E. Gibson, has grossly insulted this house by using disorderly and improper language, which were disrepectful to the members of this house: Cherefore,

Resolved, That the gentleman from Giles, Mr. Gibson, be, and hereby is, expelled from this Convention.

White moved to further suspend the rules, in order that his resolution might be considered. The motion was lost by a vote of 40 ayes to

32 noes. It required a two-thirds vote. A motion to reconsider this vote was made, but not carried. The Convention yester lay ordered to be prin-

ted 1,500 copies of the Constitution in English, and 1.000 in German. An article was adopted fixing the legal rate of interest at 6 per cent., but allowing special contracts as high as 12 per cent. Children born in slavery are allowed to inherit the property of the father. The article on militia is that of the old Constitution with the word "white" stricken out.

SALES OF LAND IN VIRGINIA.-A letter from Petersburg, in the Richmond Dispatch,

"Since the opening of spring sales have been made to northern farmers of about a dozen farms, nearly all of which are in the good old county of Chesterfield, and situated at dis tances from the city of from five to nine or ten miles. And what is more, the purchase money has been paid on every one. These places have all been sold and bought through the agency of a gentleman by the name of Wood, who emigrated here from Pennsylvania soon after the mond railroad. Convinced of the great value Mr. R. J. Meigs, Clerk of the Supreme Court | and natural advantages of lands in this section

In Chicago, on Saturday morning, an alarm of fire was sounded. The fire department were quickly on the spot, but instead of finding a fire, they discovered the ruins of a block of ten stores and dwellings, in process of erection, which had been blown down, and from which the alarm originated. The block was three stories high, with a basement underneath. It was 198 feet in length and 44 feet deep. There were at the time of the fall between fitty and sixty workmen in, on and around the building; and immediately the rumor was started that a large number had been killed. Men were at once set to work to remove the debris and it was found that not a man was killed, although several were badly injured.

It is related that a marriage party was broken up rather abruptly in Providence the other evening, because the bride (in prospective) put in a stipulation that the husband (in prospective) should give up smoking. The gentleman should have used the language of Mr. Box to his landlady rather sooner: If I detect the slightest effort to put my pipe out, Mrs. Bouncer, I at once give you warning that I shall give you warning at once.'

"Rev. Paul Bagley" is fidgetting about still in Washington, seeking or holding "interviews," &c. He appears anxious to keep a correspondence by the word of mouth with the dignitaries-but the dignitaries do not seem inclined to the correspondence.

Mr. A. T. Stewart, of New York, formally announces in a published letter, that he has not withdrawn from the support of Gen. Grant for President. Pro-di-gi-ous! What an influence this will have upon the public! Mr

A street fight occurred in Philadelphia yesterday between rival fire companies, during which one man was killed and several wounded. The ringleader was arrested.

Judge Underwood's Court in Richmond, has adjourned until the 2d Monday in May, next,

WASHINGTON ITEMS. - The old penitentiary building has been entirely demolished, and the workmen are now taking up the foundations. The work thus far has cost \$8,000, and it will require about \$3,000 more to level the grounds and put them in proper order.
Richard Hopkins has been arrested here on

a requisition from Governor Swann and taken to Marlboro' to answer a charge of the murder of Wm. H. Scott, in Prince George's county, Gen. Peter F. Bacon, a member of the board ap 14-1w

of registration, to day tendered his resignation.

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, April 14 .- The market was decidedly more active, and prices firmer. Flour steady, but transactions limited .-Wheat very active, and prices firm, at an advance, with sales of fair white at 280, and good white and red at 285a290. There was an active enquiry for corn, and prices were stiff-sales of 1500 bushels mixed, at 100 for a small lot of inferior, and 110a111 for good; 400 bushels white brought 110, and 500 bushels yellow sold at 113 all4. Oats steady, with sales at 85c, Ryo in fair request, with sales at 170a173. Irish potatoes in demand, with sales at 160 per bushel .-Butter firm. Lard quiet. Bacon active.

A financial dispatch from New York last night says the money market closed very active at 7 per ct for call loans-prime discounts are dull at 7a9 per ct. Gold closed firm at 1387. Exchange firm at 93, but the market was dull. Governments were more active during the day, but closed dull and heavy.

MARINE LIST.

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